## RAILROADS.

On and after Monday, April 23rd, 1877, Passenger Trains will run as follows:

South Bound.	Express.	Mail.	Passeng':
LEAVE. Washington Alexandria Gordonsville Charlottesville Annive. Lynchburg Danville	2 10 a.m. 2 45 " 6 60 " 7 65 " 10 50 " 2 21 p.m. 2 27 "	8 10 a m. 8 40 " 12 55 p.m. 2 10 "	7 00 "
North Bound.	Express.	Mail.	Passeng'r
Dundee	1 38 p.m. 1 42 " 4 40 " 8 60 " 8 55 "	8 45 a.m. 11 50 " 1 10 p.m.	Connect C. & O. East & West. 1300 a.m.

All trains daily on main line. The Lapress South bound connects at Lynch-The L spress South bound connects at Lynchburg for the West and Southwest, and at Danville for the South, South East and South West.

The Mail fouth bound connects at Lynchburg for Memphis, Little Neck and Texas, and for Atlanta and all points in the South, and, vis New Orleans, to Galveston and Southern Texas; also connects with Ches. & Ohio East and

Alexandria ...... 12 55 a. m. 5 25 " 7 05 " Weshington..... 1 25 " 6 © " 7 35 "

The 6 30 p. m., train connects with Ches. & Ohio R. E. westward to Huntington, Cinc. anati and all the Northwest, and Eastward to Rie.

For MANASSAS DIVISION leave Washington at 8 10 a.m. daily, except Sunday, and arrive at Strasburg at 4.48 p.m. Leave Strasmond and the South East.
For MANASSAS DIVISION leave Washburg at 5.10 a. m., and arrive at Alexandria 2

For WARRENTON leave Washington daily at 5 10 g. m. Leave Warrenton at 9 35 a. m. to connect with Mail south bound, and at 2 35 p. to connect with the Mail north bound.

Tran. To connect with the Main north bound.

Tran. From South arriving at Washington at 7.55 a. m., 6.00 p. m. and 1.25 a. m. make connections to the Balt. & Ohio and Balt. & Potomac trains to Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York, and to all points North and North.

Through tickets to No South and West at S. SPENCER, Eupt, Transp'n.
J. M. BROADUS, G. T. A ap 9

PENNSYLVANIA ROUTE
TO THE NORTH, WEST & SOUTHW. ST
DOUBLE TRACK,
EPENL BAILS, SPLENDID SCENERY,
RAGNIFICENT DOUIPMENT.
January L. 1877

Trains leave Washington from depot of BAL-Trains leave Washington from depot of BAL-TIMORE & POTOMAC RAILROAD, cor-ner of Sixth and B streets, as follows: For Phila., New York and the East, 2.05 a in and 9.20 p. m. daily, with Palace Cars. Limited Express of Pullman Parlor Cars 9.20 a

m. daily, except Sunday. For Philadelphia and New York 1.30 p. m. daily, except Sun dsy; for Philadelphia 5.30 p. m. daily For Pitisburg and the West, 9.55 a.m.daily, with Parlor Cars to Pittsburg; 7.40 p. m. daily

with Palace Car to Chicago.
For Canandaigus and the North, 7.40 p. m. daily, except Saturday, with Palace Car to Watkins. For Elmira, 9.55 a m. daily, except Sanday.

LOUAL TRAINS. For Alexandria, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 s. tr., and 1, 3, 4.20, 5, 6,05 and 7 p.m. On Sunday at 9 s. m, and I and 7 p. m. Trains leave Alexandria for Washington, ...

8 10, 9, 10 and 11 a.m., 1, 3, 4.29,5,6 and 7 p.m. On Sunday at 8.10 and 10 a.m., and 6 p. m. THROUGH TRAIN FOR THE SOUTH, via Quantico and Richmond, will leave Alexandris at 2 20 a. m. daity, and 6.15 p. m. daily, except Sunday. Tickets and information can be procured at

principal railroad stations and ticket offices Southeast. L. P. FARMER, Gen'l. Passenger Agent.

FRANK THOMSON General Managor.

WASHINGTON & OHIO RAILEOND

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.
Beginning Oct. 20, 1876.
The Mail Train will leave Washington at 9

a m., and Alexandria at 9:10 a. m., daily, exmept Sunday; pass Locaburg, going westward, at 11:20 a. m., and arrive at Kound Hill at 12 m. Lesve Round Hill at 12:30 p. m.; pass Leosburg, going eastward, at 1:10 p. m., and arrive at Alexandria at 2:15 p. m., and at Washington

at 3:30 p. m.

The Accommodation Train will leave Wast ington at 4:20 p. m., and Alexandria at 4:25 , m., daily, except Sunday, and arrive at Leesburg at 6:40 p. m. Leave Leesburg at 6 a. m. and arrive at Alexandria at 8:15 a. m., and Washington at 8.30 a m.

Passengers from Washington with their the Washington and O' o cars at the Bantimore and Potomac Railroad station at 9a. m. and 1.20 p.m., and go through to Round will wethout change of cars.

The 9.10 a m. train from Alexandria and 12.30 p. m. train from Round Hal connect at Bound for S'nickersville, Berryville and Windhester; also wit. Reamer's Line of Coaches, which leave Leesburg a. dly for Aldie and Middleburg. Both trains, westward, make close connection

at Vienna, with Seson's Line of Stages for Fair-Commutation fiel ets. Bets. per mile

Sunnultionets, \$60. YAVENEE Con Vent Ticket Agent

HOTELS AND RESTATIRARTS. SHERWOOD HOUSE,

> Corner Fayette and Harrison sts , BALTIMORE, MD. EUROPEAN PLAN.

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mh 9-2m] Preprietors.

MERIDEN BRITTANIA Co's. ELECTRO PLATE POWDER, Electro Silicon, Taylor's and Clenyer & Niver's Polishing Fluid for cleaning and polishing silver and plated

ap 12 McLEAN & UHLER, 107 King st. BIRD CAGES! BIRD CAGES!—We have just r ceived a large lot of Brass, Japanned and Wooden Bird Cages, Cage Hooks and

McLEAN & UHLER, 107 King st. NATURAL FRIEDRICHSHALL BIT-TER WATER, and Hathorn, Geyser and Excelsior Saratoga Waters, just received and

JANNEY & CO., Druggists, for sale by 79 and 145 King street. SHELL, Horn and Rubber Dressing and Back Combs, Hair and Cloth Brushes, &c.,

At FERGUSON & BRO., 96 King street.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF NECK RUCHINGS and RUFFLES, new styles, just received by FERGUSON & BRO.'S 96 King street. 10 BOXES CHOICE DANVILLE TO-TACCO in store; also five cases FINE

MOKING, at low prices R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

TRY BIXBY'S BLACKING once and you will use no other.

McLEAN & UHLER, 107 King street CANADA OAT MEAL, Pin Head Outen Grits, Pearl Barley and Split Peas received and for sale by ap 4 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st.

STEAMERS.

FOR POTOMAC RIVER LANDINGS.

On and after Monday, February 26, 1877, the steamer MATTANO, Capi. Wm. H. Byles, will be run as follows: Leave Alexandria EVERY MONDAY and THUR: DAY, from King street wharf, at 7 30 o'clock a. m., for Landings on the Potomac as far down as Nomini. Leave Nomini EVERY TUES-DAY and FRIDAY MORNING, at 6 o'clock, for Washington, arriving early the same even-Freight received daily. 28 J. BRODERS & CO., Agents.

THE POTOMAC FERRY COMPANY, SPECIAL NOTICE—Both Ferry Boats will be on the line between Alexandria and Washington on and after Sunday next, the 25th of February, running as

LEAVE ALEXANDRIA

At 7 30, 8 30, 9 30, 10 20 and 11 30 a.m., and
12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5 30 and 6 p. in.

LEAVE WASHINGTON

At 7 30, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30 and 11 30 a.m., and

At 7 80, 8 80, 9 80, 10 30 and 11 30 a. ha., and 12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 20, 4 30, 5 30 and 6 p. m. ON SUNDAYS.

1. cave Alexandria at 9 30, 10 30, and 11 30 a. m., and 12 30, 1 30, 2 20, 3 30, 4 30, 5 30 and 6 p. m.

Leave Washington at 9 30, 10 30 and 11 30 a. m., and 12 30 1 30, 2 30, 2 30, 4 30, 5 36 and 6 p. m. 1cb 23 S. S. HOWISON, President.

INLAND & SEABOARD COASTING CO.

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DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

FOR NEW YORK

The Al Steamships E. C. KNIGHT and JOHN GIBSON leave the company's wharf, Alexandria, EVERY SATURDAY MORNING, and New York, from pier 41 East River, EVERY SATURDAY at four

## FOR HORFOLK.

The elegant, new and substantial iron steamer LADY of THE LAKE leaves the company's wharf, Washington, EV-ERY MONDAY and THURSDAY, at three o'clock p. m., and Alexandria at 3.30 p. m.; re-torning, leaves Morfolk EVERY TUESDAY and FRIDAY, at 3 o'clock p. m. This line connects at Norfolk with the ships of the Mer-chaute' and Miners' Transportation Company for Boston and Providence, and affords the chaptes' and best route to those cities and their connections throughout New England their connections throughout New England. Fareto Norfolk Si; round trip 36. Tickets good

FOR THE POTOMAC RIVER LANDINGS

The new and commodicus iron steamer JOHN W. THOMPSON, built especially for this route, leaves the company's wharf, Washington, EVERY TUES-DAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, at 7 o'clock a. m., and Alexandria at 7.30 a. m.; returning, arrives EVERY WEDNESDAY FRIDAY and SUNDAY, at 6 o'clock p. m. This company makes close connections at Alexandria with the W. C., V. M. & G. S. R. R. Co. and with the W. & O. R. R. Co. Freight received for all points, North and South, handled with care and forwarded with promptness and dispatch.

For further information apply to F. A. REED, Agent, Janney's wharf,

or at the odice of the company, under the National Metropolitan Eark, 15th street, opposite the Treasury Department, Washington. and 10 J. W. THOMPSON, President. CLYDE'S STEAM LINES WEEK.

PHILADELPHIA, PROVIDENCE AND BOSTON.
Steamer leave Alexandria EVERY TUES DAY and loave Philadelphia EVERY SAT-URDAY, st 12 o'clock m. from Pier No. 1 N.

This line connects at Alexandria with the O., A. & M. and W. & O. E. Es., and at Philadel-phia with the new and popular "Iron Line," for

Providence and Boston.
Freight forwarded with promptness and care, irco of commissions. No charge for transfer in Philadelphia, and

no wharfage in Boston. Through to Boston in sixty-five hours. Through rates and through bills of lading given. Insurance guaranteed at less than usual rates.

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F. A. REED, Alexandria.
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WM. H. SMITH & CO.,

PRESH AND SALTED FISH, Corporation Fish Whart, Alexandria, Virginia, Would inform dealers and others that they are

prepared to furnish them with all kinds of
POTOMAC FISH
at the lowest possible prices. Wo would call
the attention of buyers to the fact that our brand
has stood No. 1 in market at all times, and we intend to sustain our reputation in that respect.

All orders addressed to W. H. Smith & Co., Alexandria, Va, will receive prompt attention.

G. GRIMES & CO.,

Wholesale and Retail Deslers in FRESHAED SALTED FISH, Stands-Fish wherf and Market Building.

WM. H. SMITH,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in OYSTERS, FISH, PRODUCE, &c., &c., No. 16 north Fairfax street, Has constantly on hand Oysters of the best quality from Norfolk and elsewhere received tresh by stoamers every day, and is prepared to furnish the trade at as low prices as any house in

the city.

All orders intrusted to him shall receive prompt and caroful attention. TOBACCOS IN STORK. 20 boxes genuine B. F. Graveley 4.

50 boxes 3 oz. Twist, Danvillo 25 boxes do., stock 1874, prime Danvilla. 40 boxes 4 ez. do 40 boxes 11 inch Plug Rich, and Danville Pancako, Pocket Pieces. Pig Tail, Natural Bright, Black Navy and other brands. Very low to the trade. JOHN A. FIELD, feb 21 71 King street.

W E have the greatest variety of Waiter, Tea Trays, Children's Trays and Crumb Pans and Brushes in the city.
ap 11 McLEAN & UHLER, 107 King st.

PRIME SCOTCH HERRING received and for sale cheap by ap 2 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st. NOILET SETS in great variety and Looking

A Glasses of all sizes at ap 12 McLEAN & UHLER S, 107 King at. TWO BBLS CHOICE PEELED PEACHES (Georgia) received to day by ap 12 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

WHITE WASH BRUSHES received and for sale by F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st.

AUCTION NALES.

By F. A. Merby, Auctioneer.

THE UNDERSIONED WILL, ON SAT-ICON, in front of the Royal street wing of the Market Building, offer for sale by public auction, the following described property, to wit:

No. 1. A LOT OF GROUND on the north side of Prince street, 21 feet 81 inches east of Payne street, fronting on Prince street twenty feet, and extending back 101 feet 7 inches to an

No. 2. A LOT OF GROUND on the north side of Prince street, 61 test S1 inches east of Payne street, fronting on Prince street 20 feet, and extending back 104 feet 7 inches to an alley

No. 3. A LOT OF GROUND on the south side of King street, between St. Asaph and Washington street; fronting on King street 18 feet, and improved by a partially burned building, numbered and known as 152 King street. Terms of Falo: One third of the purchase money to be paid in cash; the balance in equal payments at six and twelve months, with interest, secured by approved bonds. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

J. M. McGAW. G. A. McGAW.

By F. A. Kerby, Auet'r.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE NPRINCE VALUABLE REAL ESTATE & PRINCE WILLIAM CO., VIRGINIA, FOR SALE—Under authority of a decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandris city in the suit of Taylon's executors against John Naglee, ir., and others defendants, passed at the November term, 1870, the undersigned, as commissioners therein named, will offer on SATURDAY, April 28th, 1877, at one o'clock p. m., by public auction, in front of the Markel building, on Royal street, in the city of Alexandria, Va., the following described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to comply with the terms of said decree:

All that certain PLANTATION TRACT or PIECE OF LAND, situate in Prince William county, in the State of Virginia, containing about ONE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED AND TEN ACRES, and being the same conveyed by John Naglee, jr., and Catharine M., his wife, to Benjamin Ogle Tayloe and William H. Tayloe, by deed of mortgage, dated the 28th day of March, 1861,—a reference to said mortay of March, 1861,—a reference to said mortay. gage, recorded amongst the land records of Prince William county, in liber No. 23, page 538, is made for an accurate description of the motes and bounds of said land—together with all and singular, the BUILDINGS, improvements, water courses, rights, fisheries, ways and hereditaments belonging and appertaining thereto. This land lies on the waters of the Potomac river and Occoquan bay, and adjoins the land of Zebulon A. Kankey and the lands formerly owned by lease Newton and Basil Brawner. The land condemned by the Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railway Company for its pur-poses (supposed to be some 10 or 20 acres) will be excepted and reserved from the above quantity. A plat of survey will be exhibited at the time and place of sale, and the land sold in parcels or as a whole, as to the commissioners

may appear best.
Terms of Sale: For each as to so much as may be necessary to pay the costs of suit and of sale, and the residue in three equal Instalments at sale. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser, FRANCIS L. SMITH,

S. FERGUSON BEACH, Commissioners of Sale. mh 20-eots

By F. A. Kerby, Auctioneer. THE UNDERSIGNED WILL OFFER by public auction, in West End, Fairfax county, Va., on WEDNESDAY, April 25th, 1877, at 10 o'clock a. m., one FRAME STORE with one TWO-STORY DWELLING attached -place known as COWLING'S STORE-subject to a ground rent of thirty-seven dollars and iffty cents (\$37 50) per annum, payable quarterly. Terms—each.

ap 11-cots

W.M. COWLING.

By Harrison & O'Neal, Anctioneers. ARGE SALE OF FURNITURE AT THE

Will be sold at the City Hotel, corner Royal and Cameron streets, Alexandria, Va., the ENTIRE STOCK OF FURNITURE of forty rooms, pariors and diving room, embracing Feather Rods, Carpets, Bureaus, Washstands, Chairs, Tables, Badateads and all the articles found in a first class hotel; also BAR ROOM FIXTURES, Billiard Table, & 2, &2, Sale to commence WEDNESDAY, April 25th, at ten o'clock a. m., and continued daily until the en-tire stock is sold. The present proprietor will show the property at any time previous to the

Terms: Cash under \$25; over \$25 a credit of three months; the purchaser to give note, with approved security, bearing interest from data.

By Harrison & O'Seal, Auctioneers. STEAMER FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION.

Under authority of a decree of the Corporation Court of Alexandria city. Va., in the suit of Bayles and others against F. E. Corbett and oth-ers, defendants, passed at the Aprilterm, 1877, the undersigned, as administrator of S. W. Over-ton's estate, will offer, on SATURDAY, April 28, 1877, at 11 o'clock a. m., by public auction, at the ship yard, lower and of Union street, in the city of Alexandria, Va., the following described STEAMER VIRGINIA, together with a lot of cabin furniture, rope, wheelbarrows, anchors, and other articles. This steamer has a fine boiler and double engine, almost new, and in good working order. The hull of the steamer wants some repairs. She was built and is adapt-

burthen, with stern wheel Terms of sale of steamer: One-half each on day of sale, the remainder in six months from date of sale, with negotiable note, and lien re-tained on steamer. The other articles cash on R. T. LUCAS, day of sale. ap 13-ts

ed to the creek and river trade, and is of 51 tons

By F. A. Kerby, Auctioneer. VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VA., FOR SALE-Under authority of the decree of the Circuit Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Virginia in the suit of William Smith, trustee, against David Turner, passed on the first day of December, 1877, the undersigned, as commissioners therein named, will offer on SATURDAY, April 28th, 187, at twelve o'clock m., by public auction, in front of the the premises, the following described property:

A LOT OF GROUND, with the BUILD-INGS thereon erected, situate in the city of Alexandria, Va, on the east side of Royal st., and to the southward of King street, and bounded as follows, to wit: Beginning upon Royal st. one hundred and twenty feet to the southward of King street, and upon the south line of a twenty feet alley; running thence eastwardly with the line of said alley and parallel to King street one hundred and twenty three feet five inches; thence southwardly with the line parallel to Royal street thirty-one feet; thence westwardly parallel to King street one hundred and twenty-three feet five inches to Royal st.; thence binding there with northwardly thirty-one feet

to the beginning.
Terms of Salg: For each as to so much as may be necessary to bay the costs of suit and of sale, and the residue in three equal instalments at one, two and three years, to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, bearing interest at six per cent from the day of sale, with good person al security, and the tale to be retained until the purchase money is ally paid, and the property liable to be resold at the risk of the purchaser upon his failure to comply with the terms of sale. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser EPPA HUNTON,
FRANCIS L SMITH, Jr.,

Commissioners of Sale. mh 17-2awts OUVIN'S INODORLESS KID GLOVE :) CLEANER-It will cleanso them thoroughly, easily and quickly. For sale by WARFIELD & HALL

AUCTION NAMES.

By F. A. Herby, Austioneer.

UNDER AUTHORITY OF A DECREE Alexanoria, in the soit of Southern Protection Insurance Company vs. Ann E. Harper, enter cd at its April term, 1877, the undersigned com missioner will sell by public ancien, at the front of the market building, on Royal street, Alexandria, on SATURDAY, the 18th day of May, 1877, the following described property, to wit: "A LOT OF GROUND in the city of Alexandria." dria' bounded as follows, to wit: Beginning on the west side of Alfred street, at the north corner of W. H. Mun's line, 117 feet 10 inches from the intersection of Alfred and Queen streets, and running thence northwardly and fronting on Alfred street 19 feet 6 inches, and extending westwardly from Alfred street towards Patrick street 70 feet more or less, with all the appeartenances thereto belonging." Terms of sale: Cash.

CHARLES E. STUART, Commissioner of Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF A. DEED OF TRUST Bangs on the 12th day of July, 1869, of record in the Clerk's office of Prince William County Court, I shall, on TUESDAY, the 3d day of April, 1877, that being Court day, proceed to sell, before the front door of the Court House of Prince William county for each the courtsion Prince William county, for eash, the certain TRACT OF LAND, containing six hundred and eighty-one scros, three roods and twenty-one poles, situate and binding on Little creek, in the county of Prince Williams, and is a part of the Evansport tract. Also another let 71 acres and 85 poles, binding on Little creek and Potomae river, being also a part of the Evans-port thract. Selling as trustoo, 1 will convey such title only as is vested in me by the deed of trust aforesaid. Given under my hand this 1st day of March, 1877.

mh 3-ts A. NICOL, Trustee.

237-The above sale has been postponed till
the SECOND MONDAY IN MAY, the first
day of Prince William Circuit Court. ap 4-t4 A. NICOL, Trustee. BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST executed to the undersigned by Anson Bangs on the 12th day of July, 1860, of record in the Clerk's office of Prince William County Court, I shall, on TUESDAY, the third day of Court, I shall, on TOESDAY, the third day of April, 1877, that being Court day, proceed to sell, before the front door of the Court House of Prince William county, for eash, the certain TRACT OF LAND, containing three hundred and eighty four acres, one rood and thirty-seven poles, situated and binding on the Potomac river, in the county of Prince William, and is a part of the Evangant tract. a part of the Evansport tract. Selling as trustes, I will convey such title only as is vested in me by the deed of trust aforesaid. Given under my hand this 1st day of March, 1877.

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A. NICOL, Trustee.

The above sale has been postponed till the SECOND MONDAY IN MAY, the first day of Prince William Circuit (Nat).

day of Prince William Circuit Court. ap 4-td

COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF FAIRFAX LAND.

By virtue of docrees of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, Va., rendered at the February term, 1875, and November term, 1875, of said Court in the suit of John Johns, jr., executor, &c., vs. U. W. Barker, &c., the undersigned, one, two and three years, to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, bearing interest at six per cent from the day of sale, with good personal security, and the title to be retained until the purchase money is fully paid, and the property liable to be resold at the risk of the purchaser upon his failure to comply with the terms of sale. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser. one containing 312 acres, which fell to the said U. W. Barker in the division of the real estate of the late Presley Barker, known as lot No. 3 in said division; and the other containing 79 acres, which was also derived from the estate of the said Presley Barker, and adjoins the first

mentioned tract. These two tracts of land are situated in the county of Fairtax, near Burke's station, on the Virginia Midland Railroad, are very va'uable. They will be sold separately or together, as the

purchasers may desire.

Terms of Sale: Ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid each, and the residue in three equal instalments on a credit of one, two and three years, with interest from day of sale. The purchaser to give bond with good personal security for the deforred payments. Title to be retained until the purchase money is fully paid, with permission to the purchaser to anticipate his payments.

P. B. STILLSON, M. H. WELLS, Fairfax county, ap 18-w4w

GEORGE R. HILL & CO., 35 NORTH LEE STREET,

ALEXANDRIA, VA LIVERPOOL SALT. 1500 SACKS LIV. G. A. SALT. FINE SALT. 500 SACKS All in prime order, full and bright sacks, and for sale at lowest market prices. [sp 11] P. B. HOOE

[ap 11] A MERICAN SAFETY PARLOR FUSEES and Parlor Matches.

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DEFRIGRATORS, too Bones, Water Coolers, and Water Cans, brass and iron bound. Medican & UHLER, 107 King street.

WRAPPING PAPER and PAPER BAGS in lots to suit the trade. 20 McLEAN & UHLEE, 10) King st. TOMATO CATSUP-One cask choice Toma A. to Catsup on hand and for sale in quantities to suit. [au 17] WM. A. JOHNSON

RESH EXTRA FINE YORK STATE BUTTER received this day by ap 18 R. W. AVERY, mid King at. 30 BBLS REFINED SUGAR received this day and for sale at bottom prices by R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

DRIME VALENCIA ORANGES just received by O. WM. RAMSAY. WENGER'S and other brands CHOICE FLOUR constantly on hand and for sale [ap 7] J. C. & E. MILBURN.

WIRE DISH and PLATE COVERS, both VV round and oval at ap 10 McLEAN & UHLER'S, 107 King st. MESSINA ORANGES received and for

[np 7]

found at

F. J. DAVIDSON, 117 King st. USE BIXBY'S CELEBRATED BLACK-ING. It is the bast made. For sale by McLEAN & UHLER, 107 King st. BORDEAUX MACCARONI, extra fine, received to-day by
J. C. & E. MILBURN.

DRIME NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES just received by J. C. & E. MILBURN.

25 BOXES HIGGINS GERMAN LAUNDRY SOAP received to-day by J. C. & E. MILBURN. ap 16 10 BOXES PRIME DAIRY CHEESE; [41 16] W. A. JOHNSON. T EWIS' LEAD, ZINC and COLORS can be

85 King street. BIXBY'S BLACKING took the prize medal ap 7 McLEAN & UHLER, 107 King st. RESH GOSHEN BUTTER of prime qual-FRESH GOSHES BUTTER LOW by ity received and for sale very low by I DA VIDSON, 147 King

ap 10 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st

W. F. CREIGHTON'S,

50 LBS PRINT BUTTER Just receive

MONDAY, APRIL 23, 1877.

Intimidation,

more American says:

One of the most noteworthy elements in the Louisiana difficulty is the intense bitterness of feeling with which colored traitors to the republican party are regarded by the people of their own race. To illustrate this I need only relate an incident which occurred in New Orleans a few days since.

Seeing that it would greatly strengthen their case to break up the Returning Board quorum in the Packard House, the Nicholls men, just into their Legislature a sufficient number of reamong others, Henry Demas, of the Parish of St. John the Baptist, who for a number of years has been regarded as one of the most in-Auential negroes in the State After a time he yielded to their wishes, and, as is alleged, in consideration of a large bribe, he deserted his republican friends, and took a seat in the Nicholls House. From that day forward he was a marked man among the colored people of New Orleans. They would neither speak to nor recognize him. His old friends and acquaintances turned their backs on him in the streets, and he was in every way as completely ostracised as are the wives and children of Southern republicans by their democratic neighbors. Finding that this treatment was not likely to have any effect upon him, and that he was determined to stay in the Nicholls Legislature, a number of his old friends and a few of his relatives set about what they called redeeming him from bis

io. Their labors resulted in depriving him of a home. His own house was locked and barred against him, and his wife wrote him that she would never see nor communicate with him further until he had "purged himself of his guilt and returned to his people." Still he refused to leave the democratic House. Then all the machinery of the church was set to work against him, and on the Sunday follow-

ing his descrition from the republican ranks he was read out of meeting, and refused admission | Sold by drugglsts. 25c per bottle. feb 28-ly to the sacred edifice in which he had at one time been the chief pillar. This was too much; he could no longer withstand the pressure which was brought to bear upon him, and he went to a number of the prominent men in the Nicholls party and told them he was going back to the republican Legislature. They tried by every means in their power to prevent him from doing so, but to no purpose. He was deaf to their prayers, threats, curses and entreaties. made to break his resolution. He returned to Legislature, and now declares he would not desert it again for all the money in Louisiana. Demas' experience was not an extraordinary one. All colored traitors to Packard and the republican party are treated by their own prople in the way described, and, as a result, it may be stated that of all the deserters from the returning board Legislature who now occupy seats in the Nicholls House only two are colored men. Of course there will be a stampede from the republican claimant as soon as the compromise bargain has been carried out, but as long as there is any hope left the negroes, almost to a man, will act with the party that made them free. Times may change, and white statesmen, on the ground of expediency, may

betray high trusts, but the colored men and

wemen of the South deep down in their hearts

will always be republican. There is no rule without an exception, and perhaps in all the South the chief exception to the general rule that all colored men are repub licans is to be found in the person of P. B. S. Pinchback, the notorious mulatto claimant for a seat in the United States Senate. This man of all others was at one time the most influen tial negro leader in Louisiana, and perhaps of all others he profited most by his position. He was at one time the idol of the colored people, but for his own advantage and benefit he has betrayed the trust they reposed in him; he has accepted an office under the pretender, Nicholls; and to-day he is cursed, hated and despised by every black man and woman in the State. Their only excuse for him is that he is more white than colored, and in truth this is the only plea that can be urged in his behalf, for if ever a man had cause to be a republican to the death, to hate Southern demograts as long as life lasted, and to continually offer thanks to God for the coming of the Union Army and the liberation of the slave, that man is Practiback. The story of his life, as it is told here, not only proves the truth of what I say, but at the same time foreibly illustrates some of the beauties of life in the South in the much lamented "days that are gone." mother was a beautiful colored girl, said to have been more Indian than negro. His father was a Major Holmes, well known in Georgia, Ala bama and Louis ana as an extensive planter, deep drinker and good liver. Having a passion for poetry, and being deep in his cups, he named the boy born to the slave girl Percy Byssho Shelley Pinchback-Percy Bysshe Shelley out of respect to his favorite author, and Pinchback because, as he said him self, the child was not gold, not copper, not white, not black, not Indian-in short, neither one thing nor the other, but a little of all. What kind of a life "little Pinch" led under the care of

his father and owner may be gathered from the following incident: One day he was with Major Holmes on a Mississippi steamboat; the sun was hot, and in the shade of an awning the planter with his friends played poker for high stakes, and to quiet his nerves drank deep draughts of iced whiskey punch. The slave boy sat in a corner watching the game, and waiting for any orders which might be given by the players. While he was occupied in this way the Captain stumbled across him, and, with a curse, demanded, "Whose nigger are you?"

"Well, Massa Cap'in, I don't 'zacily know,' was Pinch's reply. "I war Major Holmes' boy, but he done bet me on two little pair and lost. I'se got to see the game through 'fore I can

answer your question. The boy had told the exact truth. His un natural father, having no other stake, bet him against \$1,000, and lost. To-day the boy so gambled away, having risen to power and place by the support of black men who were slaves like himself, deserts his party and his race and takes sides against them with men who, like Major Holmes, thought it was good sport to bet a nigger boy upon a "little pair." It is no wonder he is hated and despised by the men he has deserted, when they most need the help of his cool head and ready wit, but it is a wonder that he can stand up against their terrible dislike and contempt. He can do so because, unlike Demas and other colored men here, J. H. Zeilin & Company, he has no regard for or connection with the Church, and because he is master in his own 25 EGG CASES, Stevens', just received by ap 16 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

Church, and because he is master in his own house. The feeling against him is so bitter, however, that he would long since have been however, that he would long since have been however, that he would long since have been sent to another world were it not generally known that, in addition to being the best color-

ed politician the South has ever produced, he is also the best shot and the coolest and bravest co'ored fighter in Louisiana. The following will show how collected he is in a moment of danger. In 1866, in the streets of New Orthogon he was attached by a man with whom he leans, he was attacked by a man with whom he had some personal difficulty. Pistols were drawn, and his assailant being quick on the A New Orleans correspondent of the Balci- trigger, as the saying goes here, put two bullets into Pinchback's body before he could wink. As he fired he retreated, "The man whose father bet him on a little pair," never moved, but quickly attempting to cock his pistol, an old fashioned Colr, found that a cap had fallen into the chamber, and that the cylinder would not revolve. Coolly he drew his pocket knife and, while he was still being made a target of, picked out the cap. Then he cocked the weapon, and taking aim shot at and drove his a sailant from the ground. Of course, the man who could go through such a scene in such a way is not likely to fear either the social persebefore the arrival of the President's Commis | cution or the personal attacks of those who resion, made the most desperate efforts to bring gard him as a traitor to his race. Still, he can never be what he once was. He has had his publicans to effect that end. They approached, day. The negroes of the South are good haters: they never forgive men of their own color who betray and desert them. They will never again believe or trust in Percy Bysshe Shelley Pinchback. He will be heard of no more in

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